

## SIX-DAY BATTLE WON BY ALLIES

Dobrudja Struggle Results in  
Russo-Romanian Victory.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 21.—The six-day battle in the Dobrudja has ended in a Russo-Romanian victory.

Field Marshal von Mackensen's right wing in Rumania, consisting of Germans, Bulgars and Turks, is retreating to the south in the direction of the fortress of Dobro.

The result of the great battle was received in a brief summary of a Rumanian war office statement late tonight:

"The battle between the Russo-Romanian army and the force under Gen. von Mackensen in the Dobrudja, which has been in progress since the 15th, ended on Wednesday in a victory for Rumania.

"The enemy is retreating southward, burning villages."

The Rumanian war office announced that the invaders "in a sanguinary manner" on the whole front and launched several counter-attacks. Sofia officially admits that the Russo-Romanian troops "maintained themselves in their strongly fortified position."

The German war office reports the fighting to have come to a standstill.

Gen. Sarail, reporting on the developments in Macedonia, stated in his official account this afternoon that the Serbians repulsed Bulgarian attacks on the crest of the Kalkmakalan mountain range, with heavy losses to the Bulgars.

He admits a temporary Bulgarian success in the village of Borosica, adding that a Serbian counter-attack drove the Bulgars out again at the point of the bayonet.

60,000 TEUTON TROOPS  
SENT TO SOMME FRONT

Allied Successes Halt German Plans  
for Drive in East.

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 21.—The allied menace to Combes and Peronne has dictated during the week past most important and unexpected changes in the plans of the German great general staff.

The capture of Bouchavesnes, half way between the two vital Teuton bases on the Somme, the subsequent severance of communication between them and the partial envelopment of Combes caused Field Marshal von Hindenburg to dispatch 60,000 additional troops to the Somme front to wrest back Bouchavesnes, cost what it may.

Moreover, these allied successes threw a spoke in the wheels of a German "steam roller," which evidently was scheduled to be set in motion against the Russians on the Riga front.

Such are the conclusions inevitably forced by the wheels of the German machine in the French official midnight communiqué that the eighteenth German army corps, hastily withdrawn from the Alsace front, headed Bouchavesnes, and that one German division was recalled to the Picardy when already half way en route to the eastern theater.

Today there was no action on a large scale on the Somme front, the allies devoting all their efforts to consolidating their new lines and beating off German counter attacks.

MARYLAND POSSE HUNTS  
HEAVILY ARMED SLAYER

Charles County Residents Besiege Wood  
Where Alleged Murderer Is Hiding.

Special to The Washington Herald.

La Plata, Md., Sept. 21.—Sheriff Samuel Albritton and a posse of twenty-five men are laying siege to a wooded tract in the western part of Charles county, near Puncaster, where Harry Steward, alias Charles Chalk, a negro, heavily armed, is in hiding.

The negro is charged with shooting to death Alice Dorsey, also colored, wife of Alex. Dorsey, last Saturday evening.

Steward fled to the woods immediately after the woman was killed and gave warning that he would not be taken alive. He is armed with a shotgun and revolver, with plenty of ammunition for both weapons.

Sheriff Albritton, at La Plata, the county seat, was notified of the murder shortly after its discovery.

Hearing of the negro's threats, he organized a posse and surrounded the woods.

He returned to La Plata yesterday, empty-handed, leaving his posse on guard.

He will return today to continue the siege.

DENIES MRS. GALT IS ILL.

Mother Asserts Report from Long  
Beach Lacks Foundation.

Mrs. Margaret Maury Galt, formerly Mrs. Sherbourne P. Hopkins, who was reported to be seriously ill at Long Beach, La., is enjoying the best of health, according to her mother, Mrs. E. V. Burlingham, of the Cavendish Apartments, Washington.

Mrs. Burlingham said last night that she received a communication from her daughter yesterday in which she said she was in perfect health. Mrs. Burlingham said she had been informed by the British Board of Trade, told interviewers when he arrived here today on the Cunard Andania.

Sunday Outing to Harpers Ferry, \$1.00; to Martinsburg, \$1.25; to Berkeley Springs, \$1.50; to Cumberland, \$2.00, and return. Baltimore and Ohio, from Union Station, 8:30 a. m. September 24, returning same day.—Adv.

# THE WASHINGTON HERALD

## SETTLE TODAY ON DATE OF STRIKE

New York Labor Leaders to  
Fix Time of Walk-out.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 21.—The date for the proposed general sympathetic strike in New York in support of the striking carmen will be set at the meeting of the heads of the Central Federated Union at the Continental Hotel tomorrow afternoon.

Local and international organizations with an aggregate membership of 350,000 have voted for a strike in sympathy with the carmen.

The Central Federated Union of New York, with a membership of 80,000, has approved the strike and will urge all the affiliated unions to go out when the call is issued.

This body has only advisory powers, but the local unions heretofore never failed to follow the advice of the central body.

Samuel Gompers, president of the American Federation of Labor, on the eve of his departure for Washington tonight, said:

"I am in hearty sympathy with the movement in New York to establish the right of labor organization and will do everything in my power to aid."

Ernest Boehm, secretary of the Central Federated Union, said:

"We shall begin the fight tomorrow. The central bodies have voted for a general sympathetic strike in defense of the right of labor to organize. It remains only to set the time."

TELL OF PLOT TO KILL  
BLACKMAIL 'SQUEALER'

Federal Detectives Say Crocker Nar-  
rowly Escaped Being Murdered.

Frank Crocker, the government's main source of information in the blackmailing cases now under Secret Service investigation, narrowly escaped murder following his disclosures. It was only his own wit that saved him.

"They tried to bump him off in Boston, that's certain. But he was too foxey for them. He beat the scheme himself without the help of our men," said an officer high in the Secret Service yesterday.

After Crocker had given much valuable information that helped to find the social gangsters at the Hotel Tyson in Chicago, he was escorted to Boston. There it was thought he would be out of sight.

But the news of the government raids upon the underworld men and women spread fast and one evening, as Crocker started down from his room to the lobby of the Boston hotel, he ran into danger.

As the door of the elevator opened, he saw two men standing in the lobby. Immediately he recognized one as a bitter enemy. This man, who was a former trans-Atlantic gambler, had threatened to "get" Crocker on a former occasion.

Suddenly this man turned on his heel and caught sight of Crocker. He started toward the elevator. Crocker stepped back inside, and to the astonishment of the elevator boy, slid shut the door.

He lost no time in getting to his room, where he caught up a half packed bag, hurried down a corridor, and went downstairs by another elevator. He left the hotel and was away from Boston in half an hour.

Government detectives would not tell yesterday why they were so certain the men intended to murder Crocker. But they were firm in this belief.

LEAVES \$2,500 TO NURSE.

Will of Philadelphia Provides  
Nothing For His Wife.

Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—When the will of William J. Phillips, a builder, was admitted to probate, it was found to contain a bequest of \$2,500 to Miss E. H. Wagner, a nurse at the University of Pennsylvania Hospital, where he died recently. He built large buildings at many colleges.

"This gift is made," said Phillips in his will, "to show my appreciation of her unbounded kindness and close and loyal attention to me during my confinement in the said hospital with typhoid fever."

To his wife Phillips left nothing, "because she abandoned my home without cause," the document states.

"LEMON KING" MURDERED.

Rich Italian Importer Slain—As-  
sassin Escapes.

Boston, Sept. 21.—Slain for revenge, Gaspare Di Cola, a rich Italian importer, known as the "Lemon King," died today from five bullet wounds inflicted by an assassin.

While the man and his wife were talking on a Brookline street last night, the murderer came upon the pair, whipped out a revolver and shot at Di Cola five times. Each bullet found its mark.

The assassin fled and a police dragnet is out for him today.

Di Cola recently quarreled with a man who vowed he would "get him," the police were informed today.

MUSIC AS ANESTHETIC.

Used by Indianapolis Physicians in  
Inoculating School Children.

Indianapolis, Ind., Sept. 21.—"Musical anesthesia" has been used with great success by physicians who are inoculating pupils in the schools here against typhoid fever. At one school 360 pupils were lined up in an auditorium for the inoculation.

A photograph was brought into use, and while the room resounded with singing music the physicians worked rapidly. Not a child suffered from the physicians and not one snuffed ill effects.

PORTUGUESE INVADE AFRICA.

Advance Twenty-five Miles Into the  
Enemy's Country.

Lisbon, Sept. 21.—Portuguese troops have begun an invasion of German East Africa.

It was announced today that Portuguese forces crossed the Rovuma River and advanced a distance of twenty-five miles into the enemy's territory.

The Saturday Summer Train.

Leaving Washington 1:45 p. m., via Southern Railway will be changed Sept. 23 to leave Washington 3:45 p. m. daily.—Adv.

## Telegraph Tips

Philadelphia, Sept. 21.—Swallowing a rubber nipple, three-month-old Irene Smith struggled before she could receive medical attention. The child was heard choking by her mother and was rushed to the Howard Hospital, where she died while being carried into the institution.

Winchester, Va., Sept. 21.—Mr. and Mrs. Martin Stump, of Maurertown, Shenandoah County, again are receiving congratulations from friends far and near on account of a visit made by the stork.

A newborn child was presented. Stump is a hard-working man, but he and his family are happy and contented.

New York, Sept. 21.—Lighting a cigarette at Broad and Oxford streets last night with oil-soaked gloves on his hands, John Matthews, 25 years old, was badly burned about the arms and hands. A passerby extinguished the flames, placed Matthews in an automobile and took him to the hospital.

London, Sept. 21.—Chas. William Reginald Duncombe, second Earl of Faversham, major of the Yorkshire Hussars, has been killed in action. It was announced today.

Detroit, Mich., Sept. 21.—Fire early today damaged or destroyed fifty-two box cars on the Pere Marquette Railroad's leading tracks in this city. The loss was \$50,000. Three cars loaded with explosives were moved from the fire scene in time.

Cambridge Springs, Pa., Sept. 21.—Herosm cost the life of one man, a man and a woman were probably fatally injured and four others were hurt when an automobile carrying a party of Crawford County residents struck the Erie Railroad at the Venago street crossing here this morning.

London, Sept. 21.—Great anxiety is being manifested in Norway over reports that Great Britain aims to stop importations of corn and flour into that country, according to a dispatch to the Central News today from Copenhagen.

Mount Gretna, Pa., Sept. 21.—Announcement was made this afternoon that the machine gun troop attached to the First Pennsylvania Cavalry, Company F of the Fourth Infantry, and 125 recruits to fill out the ranks of units now on the border will leave here Saturday for El Paso.

Havana, Sept. 21.—Millions of tons of potash have been discovered near Motembo on the border line between Matanzas and Santa Clara provinces. Engineers declare the deposit averages 25 per cent pure.

Zurich, Switzerland, Sept. 21.—The Tageliche Rundschau, of Berlin, states that the government of Luxemburg has decided to be attacked in Chicago. It was announced today. It is probable that the memorial will be in the form of an institution for surgical research.

Chicago, Sept. 21.—A \$500,000 memorial to the late Dr. John D. Murphy, noted for his work in the treatment of cancer, was announced today. It is probable that the memorial will be in the form of an institution for surgical research.

New York, Sept. 21.—If Mrs. William Ostrander had not happened to overhear her husband swearing that she was legally dead he might have married another woman. As it was she had him arrested.

San Francisco, Sept. 21.—The Island of Lanai of the Hawaiian group has been purchased by United States Senator Key Pittman, of Nevada, and a group of wealthy cattlemen of Nevada, according to H. E. Lorentzen, who is here today from Honolulu. The deal, which Lorentzen said he negotiated, involved more than \$1,000,000.

Panama, Panama, Sept. 21.—Maj. Gen. George W. Goethals, governor of the Panama Canal Zone, will take passage today for Costa Rica, where he will remain a week, afterward going to the United States. It is rumored here that Gen. Goethals will not return to Panama.

Durham, Ga., Sept. 21.—Henry White, a negro, was lynched here for an attack upon a white girl. He was taken from officers by the mob and strung up after being identified by his victim. He confessed.

Hoskinstonville, Ky., Sept. 21.—The birthplace of Jefferson Davis, at Fairview, near here, will be converted into a public park if plans discussed at a meeting of Confederate veterans at Fairview are carried out.

Cleveland, Ohio, Sept. 21.—Mrs. Zeta Arnold Dunlap, 39 years old, was found beaten to death in a boarding house on East Third street here, by the proprietor of the place. Police are seeking a man named Joe, as the slayer. Her brother, Charles Arnold, who established her identity, said she was the wife of Frank Dunlap, from whom she had been separated three years.

Eastbrook, Me., Sept. 21.—Mrs. Nacia J. Juntley, bride of four days, was killed in a pasture today when a five-year-old calf of her sister's picked up a shotgun and pulled the trigger accidentally. The charge passed through the bride's forehead as she stood by the side of her husband.

Dover, N. Y., Sept. 21.—More than 600 employees of the Richardson & Boynton Furnace and Range Company were thrown out of work when the plant was closed. This was the answer of L. R. Lynd, superintendent, to an ultimatum demanding increased pay and shorter hours for the men.

Sea Girl, N. J., Sept. 21.—The Guardsmen in camp here will be allowed to participate in the primary election on Tuesday, according to an arrangement announced by Secretary of State Martin. They are to express their choice of candidates by affidavit.

Baltimore, Sept. 21.—To facilitate the progress of socialism and, from her point of view the equally important measure of bi-racialism, Mrs. Rose Pastor Stokes, of New York, who is making her debut as a writer of motion pictures scenarios.

New York, Sept. 21.—"Grandpa" Benjamin Franklin Fell has celebrated his 100th birthday in Passaic, N. J. Friends gave him a birthday cake on which were 100 small candles, and a purse of \$200.

New York, Sept. 21.—While shells were being loaded into the hold of the Irkutsk of the Russian Volunteer Steamship Company, in Gravesend Bay, one fell from a box and exploded. The explosion did not set off the other stores of ammunition, although the entire ship was closely packed.

## DANIELS TO HEED CAPITAL'S PLEA

Naval Head Promises Consideration for Local Claims.

(By the International News Service.)

"Washington will be given every possible consideration as a location for the government's \$10,000,000 armor plate plant," said Secretary Joseph Daniels in an exclusive interview given The Washington Herald last night.

"At present," said Secretary Daniels, "I cannot give any definite answer to the letter sent me by President P. T. Moran of the Chamber of Commerce, outlining the advantages of Washington as a site."

"Letters that have been received from all parts of the country are being considered and the various advantages noted. Until this work is finished it will be impossible to answer any of the letters."

At a special meeting of the directors of the Chamber of Commerce yesterday the following committee of ten was appointed to strive to bring the armor plant to this city: P. T. Moran, chairman; A. Schwab, Sinclair, John G. Capers, Chapman, D. J. Kaufman, Merritt O. Brown, W. T. Gallier, Henry B. P. MacFarland, W. J. Gude and Joseph Berberich.

Mr. Sinclair said that in the original bill passed by the Senate the District of Columbia was named as the location of the plant and he asked the chamber to investigate the striking out of this clause.

A letter urging local interest in the construction of the International Steel Corporation's new plant at the site of the old Washington Navy Yard, was read by Secretary Grant.

A letter from the editor of The Quantico Times, in which he asked that his city be chosen as the actual location of the plant, should Washington be chosen as the site, was read.

## PRICES NOT RAISED BY MILK PRODUCERS

Denied that Association Threatened to  
Cut Off Supply.

"There has been absolutely no action on the part of the Maryland and Virginia Milk Producers' Association to raise the price of milk or to threaten to cut off the city's supply," said Judson C. Waver, chairman of the committee appointed by the producers' association yesterday.

"The producers have not been officially notified of the action of the meeting between our committee and the dealers of Washington last Tuesday."

It was said by local dealers that the raise in milk prices noted in Alexandria yesterday need cause no alarm to consumers, as it is customary to advance prices about October 1, when winter prices take effect.

Dealers in Alexandria operate almost wholly in Virginia and they are not liable under the anti-trust laws governing interstate commerce. These Federal laws read, however, "in the District of Columbia," making local dealers amenable.

## "HOODOO MILLIONAIRE" DISCARDS THIRD BRIDE

Six Days of Matrimony Ended by Love  
for Another.

Stamford, Conn., Sept. 21.—John H. Tyson, the "hoodoo millionaire" motorist, and his third wife have separated today.

Their married life lasted exactly six days. It began the night of September 11, when at midnight the young actor of a prominent New York family, was married to Miss Rose Bud Exner, of New York, at the home of Miss Minnie Ackerman.

In a remarkable interview, in which he declared his love for another woman, Tyson admitted the separation tonight.

"I told my wife that we had made a mistake," said Tyson. "I told her that I loved another and that I married her when I was angry at the other woman, and to spite the other woman, so we parted."

The woman I really love is Mrs. Olive Bass, of Stamford. She had done something I did not like. It made me sore, so I married Miss Exner."

Mrs. Bass is separated from her husband, Alexander H. Bass, a student in Stevens Institute. He is the son of William H. Bass, a sugar dealer with offices in New York and Washington. The family has a summer home at Shippan Point, Stamford.

That Mrs. Bass returns Tyson's love is shown by a statement made by her at her home here tonight.

Asked as to the truth of Tyson's statement that he loved her better than he did his wife, Mrs. Bass answered: "That's quite right. He loves me and I love him."

Mrs. Bass is 19 years old and was formerly Olive J. Lepkell, of this city.

Tyson is the son of the late George Tyson and heir to some of the millions amassed by the theater ticket agency bearing his name. He has figured in many automobile killings.

## GIRLS BURNED TO DEATH.

Auto Overturns, Flipping Them  
Down in Small Stream.

Madison, Wis., Sept. 21.—Two girls of 16 years, driving the machine of the brother of one of the two, drove off a bridge over a tiny stream near Cottage Grove and, while half buried in water, were burned to death by gasoline from the car, which had plumed them down in the water.

The dead are Gladys Howard, daughter of a rich contractor, who drove the car, and Olive O'Degard, daughter of a carpenter, who was at the point of death from tuberculosis. A strange feature of the accident is that Olive's father woke up during the night with a dream that he saw his daughter killed in an automobile accident.

## VILLISTS FLEE TO HILLS.

Bandits Who Attacked Palo Blanco  
Hotly Pursued by Troops.

El Paso, Tex., Sept. 21.—Villists who attacked Palo Blanco, a suburb of Chihuahua City yesterday, have retired into the hills west of the city, according to official dispatches received from the capital today by Gen. Gonzales at Juarez.

The retreating bandits are being hotly pursued by Carranzista troops.

## FEAR BLOW AT FOREIGN TRADE

American Business Men Ex-  
pect Discriminations.

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 21.—Comprehensive reports upon the probable effect of European economic alliances on the foreign trade of the United States were discussed at an all-day session of the National Foreign Trade Council at the Hotel Baltimore today.

As a result of half a dozen investigations of problems of retaining and extending normal American overseas commerce, the following action was taken:

1. Called attention to the possibility that the European economic alliance among both the entente and central powers may impose discriminations upon the foreign trade of the United States.

2. Called to the attention of President Wilson, Congress, and the tariff commission, when organized, the necessity "that the American tariff system, whatever its underlying principles, shall possess adequate resources for the encouragement of the foreign trade by commercial treaties, or agreements, or executive concessions within defined limits, and its protection from undue discrimination in the markets of the world."

3. Declared the prospect of keener competition, as well as foreign economic alliances after the war, made doubly necessary legislation permitting exporters to combine, exclusively for foreign trade, as do their foreign rivals. (This is an endorsement of the Webb bill now in Congress.)

4. Enunciated the council's belief in the importance to American trade of the "open door" policy in China and expressed the hope that the President and Department of State will take steps "jealously to safeguard this principle."

5. Called a great national convention to meet in Pittsburgh late in January 1917, for further consideration of the policies necessary to safeguard American commerce and promote greater prosperity through foreign trade.

## MORE ZEPPELIN RAIDS ON ENGLAND ADVOCATED

(By the International News Service.)

Zurich, Sept. 21.—More frequent Zepplin attacks upon England were urged by a dinner at Stuttgart, given in honor of Gen. von Plessen.

"We Germans, united, are resolved to win a glorious victory," he declared.

It is against England that our principal efforts of the directed Zeppelin campaign that drops destruction on London is an instrument of righteousness.

"England must be attacked more and more from the air, since the glorious armies which annihilated all other enemies on the ground have been completely disabled on the shores of the sea."

Nonmagnetic yacht ends world voyage.

(By the International News Service.)

San Francisco, Cal., Sept. 21.—With the log registering 30,000 miles, the nonmagnetic yacht Carnegie arrived here this afternoon from a complete cruise around the world.

The Carnegie left New York March 5, 1915, and encircled the South Pole between latitudes 60 and 70.

At South Georgia the Carnegie found a camp of Sir Ernest Shackleton's men and supplied them with food.

Officers of the vessel reported they found magnetic discrepancies in every ocean, the greatest being in the Indian Ocean.

## THREE SHOT IN GUN BATTLE WITH SLEUTH

(By the International News Service.)

Chicago, Sept. 21.—Three persons were shot in a gun battle between Detective Sgt. John Blaik and Charles Depew, a laborer.

Blaik was shot through the abdomen at Depew when he attempted to arrest him on complaint of Miss Minnie Ackerman, at whose house Depew roomed.

Depew whipped out a revolver, shot the policeman, and then turned the gun on the woman, inflicting a wound that perhaps will be fatal.

Lying wounded on the floor, Blaik fired at Depew, hitting him in the arm.

## ANTI-WAR SOCIALISTS SENT TO GERMAN FRONT

(By the International News Service.)

London, Sept. 21.—Arrested in Berlin on a charge of seditious anti-war agitation, thirteen Socialists have been forcibly impressed into military service, according to a dispatch to the Wireless Press from Zurich.

Although above the age limit and declared to be unfit for military service, the Socialists were turned over to the military authorities after their arrest. After a few weeks' drilling they were sent to the front.

## QUIT BORDER? WHY, NO! 300 GUARDSMEN REMAIN

(By the International News Service.)

San Antonio, Tex., Sept. 21.—Maj. Gen. Funston was given a surprise today when 300 men of the Second New York Regiment, which is returning to its own army, forwarded through Maj. Gen. O'Ryan, a request that they will be allowed to stay on the border.

The request was granted and the men will be transferred to other New York regiments.

Gen. Funston issued orders to all commanding officers along the border to adopt the same ruling in other cases.

HUGHES TO MAKE TOUR  
OF ADJACENT STATES

(By the International News Service.)

New York, Sept. 21.—Charles E. Hughes will stump Maryland and West Virginia in October. He may visit other States south of these. He will take a week's rest upon his return on October 1, and then will begin his Southern tour.

Senator Penrose has requested National Chairman Willcox to have Hughes stump Pennsylvania. He told the chairman today that October 7 at Philadelphia would be the best date and place to begin the tour. Penrose will confer with Hughes at Pittsburgh next Wednesday.

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## PUTS BLAME ON WILSON FOR ALL OF MEXICO'S ILLS

Hughes Quotes Instructions to  
Lind, Showing U. S. Med-  
dled in Affairs.

(By the International News Service.)

Richmond, Ind., Sept. 21.—Charles E. Hughes today sprang a sensation in the Mexican situation, charging President Wilson with responsibility for all the ills that Mexico has suffered.

The Republican Presidential candidate produced in support of his assertions what purported to be Mr. Wilson's instructions regarding Huerta to John Lind, his special commissioner.

"John Lind," said Governor Hughes, "was authorized by the Executive to state this proposition to the minister of another government. This is the authorized instruction."

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